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SUBJECT: Trip to Europe and Africa of Senator Green, accompanied by Dr. Alwyn V. Freeman.

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JOINT STATE-ICA MESSAGE

2nd ranking majority CODEL-GREEN. Senator Theodore F. Green (D., R.I.), a member of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, expects to depart the United States on September 4 for a trip to Africa, where he will study United States technical assistance and other aid programs, as well as the operation of American foreign policies in relation to individual problems of the various countries. The Senator, who is Chairman of the Committee's Subcommittee on Near Eastern and African Affairs, will be accompanied by Mr. Alwyn V. Freeman, Consultant to the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations.

Senator Green requests that the information covered in the XXX "outline for Post Summary" which follows at the end of this message be prepared in advance of his arrival. He also requests that, where practicable, field trips be arranged to technical assistance projects, bilateral, multilateral or private. In South Africa, arrangements should be made for travel by automobile XXX from Johannesburg to Pretoria on September 26 or 27, as indicated on the attached itinerary.

In addition to Embassy/USOM briefings on the general political-economic situation, appointments should be arranged, where practicable, with United States businessmen, news correspondents (if any), local officials and businessmen, and other individuals who can contribute to the objective of the trip.

DISTIRBUTION:
At least 25 per cent of the time should be left free pending arrivals.

SENATOR GREEN AND MR. FREEMAN HAVE BEEN AUTHORIZED TO UTILIZE LOCAL CURRENCIES IN THE CONGRESSIONAL TRAVEL ACCOUNT (LFT561) TO DEFRAY THEIR OFFICIAL EXPENSES.

Provisions of the Handbook for Congressional Foreign Travel apply. Meet on all arrivals, expedite customs clearances, arrange hotel reservations and local transportation in accordance with the attached

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itinerary, and assist as required. Appoint a control officer at each post and notify the Department. Notify the Department and onward posts of changes in the itinerary, if any. Confirm hotel reservations. Coordinate with Military.

The following is an outline calling for the kind of information of interest to the Subcommittee on Technical Assistance Programs. It is requested that as much as possible of the data requested in the outline be prepared for presentation to Senator Green on his arrival and copies be transmitted to the Department and ICA/W. In detail and scope the outline is relatively comprehensive to cover the broad and continuous programs which have been in operation in Liberia, Ethiopia and Libya for some years now. Its applicability varies, however, with respect to the areas served by the other posts listed. In addition, it is recognized that even where some of the questions are applicable, information in the form and to the extent called for may not be available readily or at all. Every effort should be made, however, to furnish in the form and to the extent practicable the information sought. The following is the outline referred to in the second paragraph:

OUTLINE FOR POST SUMMARY

(Please endeavor to limit comments to 5 single-spaced pages.)

- I.** Brief statement of country's economic development:
 - a. Problems.
 - b. Plans and programs, showing annual expenditures (in dollar equivalents) for development purposes, organization within local government for planning and administering development programs and for receiving and coordinating U.S., U.N. or other outside aid.
- II.** Brief history of all U. S. aid programs (except military), by types, in country since 1948. Estimate total dollar aid during period, separating loans and grants, and including if possible cost of administration.
- III.** Tabular presentation of U. S. aid programs by types, years, and major fields of activity, broken down into the following details:
 - a. Number and cost of (1) U. S. personnel and (2) local employees;
 - b. Number and cost of trainees.
 - c. Other dollar costs.
 - d. Total dollar cost.
 - e. Counterpart contributions (if any).

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f. Contributions (actual expenditures) of host government in dollar equivalents.

g. Total costs.

IV. Tabular presentation U. S. "loan" aid programs, by projects, years and repayment terms.

V. List of current major developmental or TA projects in which U. S. participating (not more than 10) in country with 2-line description of each.

VI. Private Contracts under aid program.

List all contracts with private U. S. firms or educational institutions for carrying out technical assistance and other U. S. aid projects. Include name of contractor, cost of contract, estimate number of Americans and locals employed under contract, by years, and general purpose of contract.

VII. Organization for technical and other aid.

A short summary showing organization within Embassy, Legation or Consulate General for guiding and assisting in the aid program and clearing projects, and relationship with local government for same purpose.

VIII. Efforts of local government in economic development.

Extent of annual expenditure (in dollar equivalents) for development purposes, organization within local government for receiving U. S. Aid and in carrying out projects. Indicate nature of official plans for development, if any.

IX. Other aid programs in country.

Summarize briefly technical assistance activities of UN and related agencies, and of private foundations or similar organizations.

X. Private foreign investments in the country.

Major ~~XX~~ U. S. business interests;

Other foreign business interests;

Recent rate of foreign investment;

Principal problems of foreign, especially U. S. business, and principal obstacles to new investment.

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XI. Soviet or satellite economic activity (technical assistance and other).

XII. Miscellaneous observations and remarks.

In addition to the above, Senator Green will be interested in the general operations of the post. It is recommended that where practicable there be an additional section dealing with problems of operating the post in the particular area, including housing, recreation needs, and other factors affecting morale.

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Rome and Cairo are not requested to fill out the ~~XXXXXX~~ information requested in the summary questionnaire, as they are only stopovers.

PASS MESSAGE TO USOM'S.

Your attention is directed to ICATO's circular A-37 or ICATO's circular XA-130 of August 7, 1956, entitled "Reporting on Congressional Visits and Providing Information to Congressional Members".

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Enclosure:

Schedule for Senator Green and Mr. Freeman.

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